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MEMORANDUM

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FROM: Thomas A. Jackson, Research Scientist
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SUBJECT: Blue Spruce Raritan Center Data Package/NYtest Environmental
Incorporated

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The Office of Quality Assurance, Division of Waste Management, has reviewed the Blue Spruce Raritan Data Package of June 29, 1985 (Lab No. 85-10788).

Total phenols, cyanide, metals and pesticides/PCB's results are acceptable. The volatiles and base neutral/acid extractables results had two major deficiencies: the tuning requirements for DFIPP and BFB were not met and excessive holding times (46 days for the volatiles and 12 days for the base neutral/acid extractables). The sample chronicle indicated that NJDEP placed the organics on hold for approximately two weeks due to procedural discrepancies.

The volatiles and base/neutral acid fractions results must be rejected on the grounds of failure to meet tuning criteria. Payment is not recommended.

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